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### House Appropriations Request FY 2010

**Project Name:** High Growth and Green Jobs Initiative  
**Recipient:** Wake Technical Community College  
**Recipient Address:** 9101 Fayetteville Rd

**Recipient City:** Raleigh  
**Recipient State:** NC  
**Recipient Zip:** 20515

**Amount of Request:** \$840,543

**Explanation of the request (must include purpose and why it is a valuable use of taxpayer funds):**

The Meeting the Need: High Growth and Green Job Initiatives project will focus on targeted job training in two key areas, simulation and gaming and green automotive technologies. Wake Tech will address these industries needs with two project components, its Digital Entertainment, Virtual reality, and Interactive Simulation Education (DEVISE) and National Center for Green Automotive Technologies programs. The DEVISE simulation and Gaming program was developed at Wake Tech with funding from through a 3 year National Science Foundation grant through the ATE program, however Wake Tech is currently at capacity for the program and would like to expand the opportunity to more students. The National Center for Green Automotive Technologies will develop industry recognized automotive repair curriculum for delivery at any community college across the US to meet the high growth high demand repair technician shortage. Federal support for curriculum development, testing, and dissemination will be critical to the success of the program. This program will train new students as well as dislocated workers, placing them in well-paying jobs.

*In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.*

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